

# One Hundred Ninth Congress of the United States of America

## AT THE SECOND SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Tuesday,  
the third day of January, two thousand and six*

## An Act

To amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Captain John Smith  
Chesapeake National Historic Trail.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of  
the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Captain John Smith Chesapeake  
National Historic Trail Designation Act”.

### SEC. 2. ADDITION TO NATIONAL SCENIC AND NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAILS.

Section 5(a) of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C.  
1244(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(25) CAPTAIN JOHN SMITH CHESAPEAKE NATIONAL HISTORIC  
TRAIL.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—The John Smith Chesapeake  
National Historic Trail, a series of water routes extending  
approximately 3,000 miles along the Chesapeake Bay and  
the tributaries of the Chesapeake Bay in the States of  
Virginia, Maryland, and Delaware, and in the District of  
Columbia, that traces the 1607–1609 voyages of Captain  
John Smith to chart the land and waterways of the Chesa-  
peake Bay, as generally depicted on the map entitled ‘Cap-  
tain John Smith Chesapeake National Historic Trail Map  
MD, VA, DE, and DC’, numbered P–16/8000 (CAJO), and  
dated May 2006.

“(B) MAP.—The map referred to in subparagraph (A)  
shall be on file and available for public inspection in the  
appropriate offices of the National Park Service.

“(C) ADMINISTRATION.—The trail shall be administered  
by the Secretary of the Interior—

“(i) in coordination with—

“(I) the Chesapeake Bay Gateways and  
Watertrails Network authorized under the Chesa-  
peake Bay Initiative Act of 1998 (16 U.S.C. 461  
note; 112 Stat. 2961); and

“(II) the Chesapeake Bay Program authorized  
under section 117 of the Federal Water Pollution  
Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1267); and

“(ii) in consultation with—

“(I) other Federal, State, tribal, regional, and  
local agencies; and

“(II) the private sector.

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“(D) LAND ACQUISITION.—The United States shall not acquire for the trail any land or interest in land outside the exterior boundary of any federally-managed area without the consent of the owner of the land or interest in land.”.

**SEC. 3. CHANGE IN AUTHORIZATION.**

Section 4 of the Act of July 3, 1930 (16 U.S.C. 81f), is amended in the first sentence by striking “10,472,000” and inserting “8,572,000”.

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Vice President of the United States and  
President of the Senate.*